

Reliability and Security: DOE Authority to Energize the Cross Sound Cable,” 10 a.m., 2322 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Telecommunications and the Internet, hearing entitled “Competition in the Communications Marketplace: How Convergence Is Blurring the Lines Between Voice, Video, and Data Services,” 11 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Committee on Government Reform, Subcommittee on Government Efficiency and Financial Management, to mark up H.R. 3826, Program Assessment and Results Act; followed by an oversight hearing entitled “Mission Impossible? Fixing NASA’s Financial Management,” 2 p.m., 2247 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Technology, Information Policy, Intergovernmental Relations and the Census, oversight hearing entitled “Federal Enterprise Architecture: A Blueprint for Improved Federal IT Investment and Cross-Agency Collaboration and Information Sharing,” 2 p.m., 2154 Rayburn.

Committee on International Relations, hearing on Implementation of the Millennium Challenge Act, 10:30 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Europe, to mark up H. Res. 642, Providing for the establishment of a commission in the House of Representatives to assist parliaments in emerging democracies, 3 p.m., 2172 Rayburn.

Committee on Resources, to mark up the following bills: H.R. 646, To Expand the boundaries of the Fort Donelson National Battlefield to authorize the acquisition and interpretation of lands associated with the campaign that resulted in the capture of the fort in 1862; H.R. 1156, To amend the Reclamation Wastewater and Groundwater Study and Facilities Act to increase the ceiling on the Federal share of the costs of phase I of the Orange County, California, Regional Water Reclamation Project; H.R. 2619, Kilauea Point National Wildlife Refuge Expansion Act of 2003; H.R. 2831, Newlands Project Headquarters and Maintenance Yard Facility Transfer Act; H.R. 2909, Utah Test and Training Range Protection Act; H.R. 3785, To authorize the exchange of certain land in Everglades Park; H.R. 4115, To amend the Act of November 2, 1966 (80 Stat. 1112), to allow binding arbitration clauses to be included in all contracts affecting the land within the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Reservation; H.R. 4158, To provide for the conveyance to the Government of Mexico of a decommissioned National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration ship; H.R. 4362, To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to accept a parcel of Federal land in the State of

Washington in trust for the Nisqually Tribe, to ensure that the acceptance of such land does not adversely affect the Bonneville Power Administration; S. 144, Noxious Weed Control Act of 2003; and S. 1146, Three Affiliated Tribes Health Facility Compensation Act, 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

Committee on Science, Subcommittee on Energy, hearing entitled “The Impact of Federal Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy R&D Programs,” 10 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Environment, Technology, and Standards, hearing entitled “Homeland Security Research and Development at the EPA: Taking Stock and Looking Ahead,” 2 p.m., 2318 Rayburn.

Committee on Small Business, hearing entitled “Red Tape Reduction: Improving the Competitiveness of America’s Small Manufacturers,” 2 p.m., 2360 Rayburn.

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, Subcommittee on Aviation, oversight hearing on The Use of Biometrics to Improve Aviation Security, 10 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

Committee on Veterans’ Affairs, to mark up the following bills: H.R. 4231, amended, Department of Veterans Affairs Nurse Recruitment and Retention Act of 2004; H.R. 3936, To amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize the principal office of the United States Court of Appeals for Veterans Claims to be at any location in the Washington, D.C., metropolitan area, rather than only in the District of Columbia, and expressing the sense of Congress that a dedicated Veterans Courthouse and Justice Center should be provided for that Court and those it serves and should be located, if feasible, at a site owned by the United States that is part of or proximate to the Pentagon Reservation; H.R. 4345, To amend title 38, United States Code, to increase the maximum amount of home loan guaranty available under the home loan guaranty program of the Department of Veterans Affairs; H.R. 1716, amended, Veterans Earn and Learn Act of 2004; and H.R. 4175, amended, Veterans’ Compensation Cost-of-Living Adjustment Act of 2004, 2 p.m., 334 Cannon.

Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing on the Department of Veterans’ role in the development of interoperable electronic-medical records systems in the Federal Government, 10 a.m., 334 Cannon.

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, executive, to consider pending meeting, 1:45 p.m., executive, Briefing on Department of Defense Intelligence Reform Initiative (DoD HUMINT Reform), 2 p.m., H-405 Capitol.

Next Meeting of the SENATE

9:30 a.m., Wednesday, May 19

Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

10 a.m., Wednesday, May 19

Senate Chamber

Program for Wednesday: After the transaction of any morning business (not to extend beyond a period of 90 minutes), Senate will continue consideration of S. 2400, Department of Defense Reauthorization Act. Also, Senate will begin consideration of S. 15, Project Bioshield Act, at a time to be determined.

House Chamber

Program for Wednesday: Consideration of H.R. 4200, National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2005 (subject to a rule).



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